Spring Steel Fence and Wire Company collection S2012

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Summary Information

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Title Spring Steel Fence and Wire Company collection

Date 1907-1914

Extent 0.01 Cubic feet 1 folder

Language English

Mixed materials [Folder] S2013

Preferred Citation

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Administrative History

Spring Steel Fence and Wire Company was founded in 1907 by William Sherman Poling and incorporated under the present title in 1909. The plant occupies four acres. The products (fencing, gates and other wire products) are sold locally, across the United States and to various countries around the world. In 1912, the company employed forty employees. Mr. Poling was president in 1914, Frederick E. Holloway vice president and Guy J. Derthrick, secretary-treasury. In 1916, the president was W.H. Alford, forty employees. Mr. Poling was president in 1914, Frederick E. Holloway vice president and Guy J. Derthrick, secretary-treasury was J.Q.A. McClurg, and the business was located at 1800 Brown, Anderson, IN.

Forkner, John L. (ed). (1914). History of Madison County, Indiana: A Narrative account of its historical progress, its people and its principal interests. (v. 1, p. 150; v. 2, pp. 671-672). Chicago, IL: The Lewis Publishing Company.

Polk's Indiana State Gazetteer and Business Directory. (1916). Indianapolis, IN: R.L. Polk & Co. (p. 317).

Scope	and	Contents

This collection includes a full color printed card and coupon from Spring Steel Fence and Wire Company in Anderson, Indiana regarding business advertising and a magazine subscription offer.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged chronologically.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Custodial History

This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a donation.

Accruals

No further additions are expected.

Processing Information

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Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

• Spring Steel Fence and Wire Company (Anderson, Ind.).

Geographic Name(s)

• Anderson (Ind.)

Subject(s)

- Business cards
- Coupons
- Fence industry
- Wire fencing